

**U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

<b>NOTICE OF APPEAL TRANSMITTAL AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (a)</b>		Docket Number: <b>01662/568077</b>	
Application Number <b>10/661,259</b>	Filing Date <b>September 12, 2003</b>	Examiner <b>Chang, Celia</b>	Art Unit <b>1625</b>
Invention Title <b>POLYMORPHS OF FEXOFENADINE HYDROCHLORIDE</b>		Inventors <b>DOLITZKY</b>	

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Sir:

1. Transmitted herewith for filing is a Notice of Appeal in response to the Final Office Action mailed March 12, 2008 for the above-identified application.
2. Applicants hereby request a **three-month extension of time** to respond to the Office Action of March 12, 2008, which set a three-month period for response. The extended period for response expires on September 12, 2008. The **\$1,050.00** extension fee is being paid by credit card.
3. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any underpayment and any other fees deemed necessary, to the undersigned attorney's deposit account No. **11-0600**.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: September 12, 2008

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